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| TITLE OF INVENTION POWERED BOATLIFT WITH ELECTRONIC CONTROLS   |    |
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The attached statement is being submitted to establish small entity status in this application by the:

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# VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS (37 CFR 1.9(f) and 1.27 (b)) - INDEPENDENT INVENTOR

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that I qualify as an independent inventor, as defined in 37 CFR 1.9(c), for purposes of paying reduced fees under Sections 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code, to the Patent and Trademark Office with regard to the invention entitled TRAILER STRUCTURE described in the specification filed herewith.

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